

three rungs from the ground, she happened to fall in such a way that her collar-bone was injured. Laurie was a visitor to the school for a few weeks only. He had been teased by the other boys (saying " Pop " to him) and had been too frightened to stand up to them. (His mother had meanwhile been urging him that he ought to fight them, and that he was a coward, and so on.)

9.6.25. Laurie had been using the shears on the lawn. He went to Mrs. I. and said, " I'll cut your head off," and, " I'll cut your arm," and made a furtive attempt to do so.

24 6.25. When Frank came, his first action was to upset the box of shells which Mrs. I. had given Priscilla to use for number work.

6.7.25. Theobald modelled a " punt with a hood " and talked to Mrs. I. very freely and eagerly about it. She said she would make " a barge with a cabin ". He said, " You won't be able to make it as well as mine." She said, " No, perhaps not." He repeated this several times.

8.7.25. Duncan was finishing the letter he had begun to his mother, and this led Dan also to write " letters " to his mother. Duncan was very scornful about this and said, " Dan doesn't know *how* to write."

10.7.25. The children were a little distracted and excited by a new supply of plasticine. They all talked together very eagerly, Duncan speaking very loudly and shrilly, but telling the others in a loud voice " *not* to make such a noise ".

13.7.25. Priscilla asked Mrs. I. to get her an apple from a tree. Mrs. I. said, " Perhaps you could get it yourself ? " Priscilla evidently felt this to be a rebuff, and presently when Mrs. I. suggested to her that she should help her put the straw from the rabbit hutch on the bonfire, she said to Dan, " No, we *won't*, will we ? You nasty old thing."

15.7.25. Duncan said, " Shall we tie it (the kitten) in a knot ? " Dan said, " No, shall I *tie you* in a knot ? " Duncan said loftily, " Oh, I'm stronger than you ! "

21.10.25. To-day Tommy was very hostile, particularly to

Penelope and Mrs. I., and inclined to be solitary. He was often occupied, but usually alone. (This hostility to Penelope may link up with their family play, in which she usually makes htm into " the baby " with herself as " mammy ", and is very domineering.)

27.10.25. Tommy was again markedly hostile to Penelope.

30.10.25. Frank to-day was rather hostile and domineering; he hit Jessica and one or two of the others.

11.11.25. After a long period of steady and concentrated work, Frank passed into a restless mood. He tied a bundle